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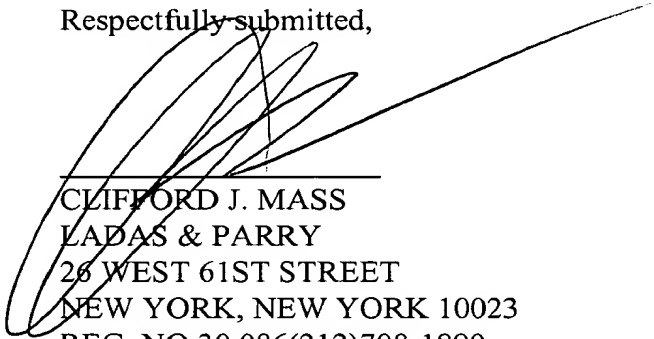
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**The present application and Kubota et al US Patent Application
Publication US 2003/0069329 were, at the time the invention of the present
application was made, owned by Seiko Epson Corporation.**

An early and favorable reconsideration of the application as amended is again
respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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